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### **Patent Application**

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### TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated April 4, 2002, Applicants submit herewith four (4) sheets of formal drawings in the above-referenced patent application.

A copy of the Notice is enclosed herewith. In the event of non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or to credit International Business Machines Corporation Deposit Account No. 50-0510 as required to correct the error.

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### Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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